



What is YouTube?

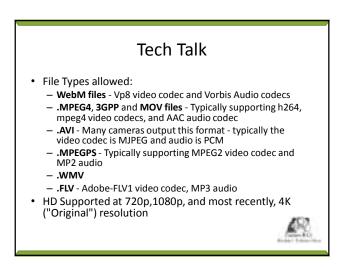
- YouTube is a video sharing site.
- It is part of the Google umbrella of applications.
- Two main roles: user and publisher
 - Users look at / find videos
 - Publishers upload and/or create channels for their videos to be shared.
- Many libraries use it to promote their services!



Create *YOUR* YouTube • Start by going to Youtube.com • If you have a Google account, just sign in. Otherwise create an account. • Create your Channel. • You're ready to go!









Copyright Concerns

- YouTube only videos for which you have the rights to upload.
- If you upload copyrighted material, YouTube will remove it automatically.







Share Far and Wide



- Once you have added videos to your channel, you can share them with the world!
- Anything added to your feed will be automatically updated to your subscribers.



Example Library Usage

- Durham Public Libraries -www.**youtube**.com/watch?v=QjO1bIV5M-Y
- Wake County Public Libraries www.**youtube**.com/watch?v=h7P-HfgimEM
- New York Public Library's Channel -www.youtube.com/user/NewYorkPublicLibrary
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Next time... LibraryThing! Tech Tools with Tine Webinar presented on March 9th 2012.